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Sir:

This Amendment responds to the Office Action dated July 21, 2005 (Paper No. 07152005). Attached to this Amendment is a Petition for Extension of Time for a one month period and a copy of HEI 6-46260. Please amend the above-noted application as follows: